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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Rossella MUSA et al

SERIAL NO.: 10/628,453

GROUP ART UNIT: 1618

FILED: July 29, 2003

EXAMINER: OH, S. J.

FOR: MODIFIED CARRIER PARTICLES FOR USE IN DRY POWDER INHALERS

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING
GROUP 1618"

SIR:

It is hereby requested that a two month extension of time be granted to September 22, 2005 for:

- filing a response to the Official Action dated:
- responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
- responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection dated April 22, 2005 is submitted herewith.
- filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.

The required fee of \$450.00 is enclosed herewith by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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